

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 325

By Rochelle

A RESOLUTION to honor Emily Lynne George, 1997 Salutatorian
of Mt. Juliet High School.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that this General Assembly should honor those individuals who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment have achieved excellence in their academic careers; and

WHEREAS, Emily Lynne George is one such outstanding student who has distinguished herself as salutatorian of the 1997 graduating class at Mt. Juliet High School; and

WHEREAS, through long hours of diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and untiring commitment of time and talent, Emily Lynne George has achieved extraordinary academic success, and has joined the ranks of the elite students of Tennessee and our nation; and

WHEREAS, in her laudable high school career, Emily Lynne George has earned an exceptional grade point average; and

WHEREAS, Emily Lynne George is an active participant in numerous school activities, including the French Club, the Beta Club, Youth in Government, Youth Legislature, the Latin Club and the Senior Committee; and

WHEREAS, she has also served with distinction as president of the National Honor Society, vice president of Mu Alpha Theta, Senior Class Secretary and as a member of the Executive Officers Council; and

WHEREAS, Emily Lynne has won several awards and accolades for her outstanding academic performance, including selection to the Academic Hall of Fame in Advanced

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Placement U.S. History and Advanced Placement Calculus, selection by her classmates as the “Most Studious Female”, meritorious service as a Tennessee Girls State Delegate, and earning Second Place honors in the Wilson County United States History Bowl; and

WHEREAS, she was a winner of the local and regional TDS Telecom National Essay Contest and the West Wilson County Republican Women’s Organization Essay Contest; and

WHEREAS, Emily Lynne George is also an accomplished piano player, and teaches piano in her spare time; and

WHEREAS, Miss George is a devout member of the Green Hill Baptist Church, where she was the leader of the Backyard Bible Clubs for 5 years and is a member of the church’s Youth Council; and

WHEREAS, Emily Lynne George plans to attend Bellarmine College in Louisville; she is undecided about her major, but will definitely minor in piano; and

WHEREAS, Emily Lynne’s display of intellectual prowess and inner drive surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Emily Lynne’s noteworthy achievement is a great source of pride for her parents, William McDowell and Janice Lynne George, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Emily Lynne George’s dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we hereby commend and honor Emily Lynne George, 1997 Salutatorian of Mt. Juliet High School, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to Miss George our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.